Docket Nos. 02-0798/03-0008/ 03-0009 (Consolidated) ICC Staff Exhibit 19.0

**DIRECT TESTIMONY** 

ON REHEARING

of

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Accounting Department
Financial Analysis Division
Illinois Commerce Commission

Central Illinois Public Service Company, d/b/a AmerenCIPS and Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE

Proposed General Increase in Gas Rates

Docket Nos. 02-0798, 03-0008, 03-0009 (Cons.)

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#### Witness Identification

- 1 Q. Please state your name and business address.
- 2 A. My name is Theresa Ebrey. My business address is 527 East Capitol Avenue,
- 3 Springfield, Illinois 62701.
- 4 Q. Have you previously provided testimony in this proceeding?
- 5 A. Yes, my direct testimony is ICC Staff Exhibit 3.0 and my rebuttal testimony is ICC
- 6 Staff Exhibit 10.0.
- 7 Q. What is the purpose of your direct testimony on rehearing?
- 8 A. I am offering testimony to present the amount by which AmerenUE's ("UE" or
- 9 "Company") post-test year capital additions exceed increases in UE's
- accumulated depreciation as of November 2003, pursuant to the Illinois
- 11 Commerce Commission's ("Commission") Notice granting rehearing on
- December 9, 2003 ("Notice"). In addition, I am presenting the revenue
- requirement schedules for UE, which include the impacts of the adjustment to
- post-test year capital additions. Finally, I am discussing the deficiencies in the
- 15 Company's position on rehearing as set forth in the direct testimony on rehearing
- of Gary S. Weiss (AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.0).
- 17 Q. By what amount do post-test year capital additions exceed the increase in the
- 18 Reserve for Accumulated Depreciation at November 30, 2003?

19 Α. As set forth on ICC Staff Exhibit 19.0, Schedule19.4 UE, page 1, line 3, post-test year capital additions exceed the increase in accumulated depreciation by 20 21 \$722,000. The calculations used to derive this amount are explained below. 22 Q. What is your proposed adjustment to the Order for the revised Post-test Year 23 Capital Additions? 24 As presented on ICC Staff Exhibit 19.0, Schedule 19.4 UE, page 1, line 7, Post-Α. 25 test Year Capital Additions should be decreased by \$172,000. Are you sponsoring any schedules as part of ICC Staff Exhibit 19.0? 26 Q. 27 Yes. I have prepared the following schedules relating to AmerenUE, which show Α. 28 data as of, or for the test year ending June 30, 2002: 29 Schedule 19.1 UE Statement of Operating Income with Adjustments 30 Schedule 19.2 UE Rate Base 31 Schedule 19.3 UE Interest Synchronization Adjustment 32 Schedule 19.4 UE Adjustment to Post-test Year Capital Additions 33 **Revenue Requirement Schedules** Please describe Schedule 19.1 UE, Statement of Operating Income with 34 Q. 35 Adjustments. Schedule 19.1 UE is the same as Schedule 1 in Appendix B to the Final Order in 36 A. 37 this docket dated October 22, 2003 ("Order"), except that it includes two

38 additional columns which set forth the adjustments I propose as well as the 39 revised operating statement totals. 40 Q. Please describe Schedule 19.2 UE, Rate Base. 41 Schedule 19.2 UE is the same as Schedule 3 in Appendix B to the Order, except Α. 42 that it includes two additional columns which set forth the adjustments I propose 43 as well as the revised rate base totals. Please explain Schedule 19.3 UE, Interest Synchronization Adjustment. 44 Q. 45 A. Schedule 19.3 UE uses the same concept as ICC Staff Exhibit 1.0, Schedule 1.5 46 UE. The theory is discussed on ICC Staff Exhibit 1.0, pages 5 and 6. However, 47 the calculated interest expense is compared to the interest expense based on Gross Plant in Service approved in the Order. 48 49 Adjustment to Post-test Year Capital Additions 50 Q. Please explain Schedule 19.4 UE, Adjustment to Post-test Year Capital 51 Additions. 52 Α. Schedule 19.4 UE presents my adjustment to post-test year capital additions to 53 be included in the revenue requirement as well as the associated adjustments to 54 Depreciation Expense and the Reserve for Accumulated Depreciation.

presented on Schedule 19.4 UE, page 2.

Explain how you derived the Net Post-test Year Capital Additions, \$1,273,000,

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My calculations are limited to the charges to Accounts 376 and 380 related to Projects 11975, 11976, and 11977, the Alton gas main replacement project for each year 2001 through 2003 ("Projects"). It is my understanding that only those post-test year capital additions anticipated by the Company at the time of its initial filling in Docket No. 03-0009 should be included in the calculation of post-test year capital additions in this rehearing. The "Description of Adjustment" on Company Schedule B-2.1 for the post-test year capital additions to Distribution Plant reads as follows:

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Adjustment reflects additions to Accounts 376 and 380 associated with Alton gas main replacement project.

It is apparent that the Company anticipated only additions to Accounts 376 and 380 at the time of its initial filing.

- Q. Did you omit other charges related to the Projects from your calculation?
- 70 A. Yes. I omitted a number of reclassifying entries made to Plant Account 380 on
  71 November 30, 2003. The entries have been omitted because the reclassification
  72 entries are questionable due to the number of "corrections" as well as the date
  73 the reclassification occurred. Reclassification of amounts occurring on the last
  74 day of the period for measurement of plant additions, when no reclassifications
  75 occurred between July 1, 2002 and November 30, 2003, indicates that the
  76 reclassification is not an ordinary activity.
- 77 Q. Did the Company provide an explanation of the reclassifying entries?

- 78 A. Yes, the Company did provide an explanation for the reclassifications as
  79 requested in Staff data request UE TEE 117, at 1:00 p.m. the day before this
  80 testimony was to be filed, and four days after the requested due date. No
  81 explanation was given for the delay in response time. However, the explanation
  82 provided only led to further concerns about the entries, having already hindered
  83 Staff's discovery.
- Q. Explain the further concerns you have regarding the reclassifying journal entries
   made to Plant Account 380.
  - A. In response to Staff data request UE TEE 103, the Company indicated that the journal entries in question "were to correct the account distribution on the purchases order." The document identified as "purchase order copy" attached to the Company's response to Staff's follow-up data request UE TEE 117 provides the following account distribution comparison:

Account	Original	Recommended for
Number	Distribution	2004 Purchase Order
376	54%	60%
324	8%	0%
893	4%	0%
329	3%	0%
380	8%	35%
383	1%	5%
878	18%	0%
892	4%	0%

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However, the work papers attached to the Company's response to UE TEE 117 do not reflect that the Account distribution, used to record the invoices originally, has been corrected to that recommended for the 2004 Purchase Order ("PO").

Rather, the work papers reflect selective reclassification of amounts originally charged to various accounts above, to Account 380 in their entirety. Although the distributions for Accounts 376 and 383 also increased from the original distributions to that recommended for the 2004 PO, no similar adjustments were reflected in the account detail provided in Work Papers for AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.2/GSW – 36 through 45. In addition, amounts described as "PURCHASING RATE", "PAYROLL DISTRIBUTION", "TRANSP JV DPT 3510", and "TOOL APP OH" were not consistently reclassified. It is unclear how an "account distribution" correction would apply to these charges, though in some cases such amounts were reclassified to Account 380 while not in other cases. No explanation was provided for this selective reclassification. Since the reclassifying entries were not based upon a consistent application of the corrected account distribution on the PO and are, thus, questionable, I am omitting them from my calculation of post-test year plant additions. What other adjustment have you made to the post-test year capital additions? Q. Α. I have decreased the post-test year capital additions for retirements related to the Projects recorded during the period July 1, 2002 through November 30, 2003. Since these retirements are reflected in the Accumulated Depreciation balance at November 30, 2003, neglecting to also reflect the retirements in the plant in service would result in an overstatement of net plant.

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116	Posit	ion on Company's Proposed Accumulated Depreciation Reserve Balance as
117	of No	vember 30, 2003
118	Q.	What does the Company present as the increase in Total Accumulated
119		Depreciation Reserve Balance at November 30, 2003?
120	A.	As shown on AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.0, page 3, lines 57 - 60, the Total
121		Accumulated Depreciation Reserve Balance at November 30, 2003 is
122		\$16,007,000, an increase of \$551,000 over the June 30, 2002 balance.
123	Q.	Do you agree with the Company's amounts for the Accumulated Depreciation
124		Reserve and the amount of increase?
125	A.	I have found no reason to take issue with the Accumulated Depreciation Reserv
126		balance as presented by the Company.
127	Posit	ion on the Company's Proposed Adjustment to Plant in Service Balance at
128	Nove	mber 30, 2003
129	Q.	What does the Company present as the adjustment to Plant in Service in this
130		rehearing?
131	A.	As shown on AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.0, page 4, lines 74 - 77, UE proposes
132		that the adjustment to Rate Base for Plant in Service in the Order should be
133		changed from (\$1,420) to (\$414).
134	Q.	Do you agree with the Company's proposed adjustment to Plant in Service?

135	Α.	No. I have identified a number of deficiencies with the position taken by the
136		Company.
137	Q.	What deficiencies have you identified in the Company's position as presented in
138		AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.0?
139	A.	I have noted the following deficiencies in the Company's filing:
140		1) The amount requested in the Commission's Notice is not provided;
141		2) The Company presents a one-sided treatment of retirements in its
142		calculations; and,
143		3) The Company admitted an error in its filed amount of post-test year capita
144		additions in response to a Staff data request.
145	Q.	For which issue did the Commission grant rehearing?
146	A.	The Commission granted the Company's Petition for Rehearing in part to
147		determine by what amount UE's post-test year capital additions exceed the
148		increases in UE's accumulated depreciation as of November 30, 2003. This is
149		consistent with the language in the Commission's Order on pages 10-11, which
150		states:
151 152 153		Accordingly, the AG's recommendation is adopted such that UE's proposed additions to plant in service should be included in rate base to the extent that they exceed increased accumulated depreciation.
154		The Commission found that the pro forma adjustment for post-test year capital
155		additions should be limited to the amount by which the additions exceed
156		accumulated denreciation

- 157 Q. Did the Company provide the requested amount in its testimony on rehearing? 158 A. Nothing in the Company's testimony on rehearing expressly presents the 159 requested amount. Rather, the Company has chosen to include all increases to 160 both plant and expense accounts related to Projects 11975, 11976, and 11977 in 161 its adjustment to Plant in Service and has adjusted its Reserve for Accumulated 162 Depreciation to the actual balance at November 30, 2003. While this method 163 may have the same impact on net plant, it does not provide the amount of post-164 test year capital additions as requested by the Notice. 165 Q. What is the Company's position on including retirements in the calculation of pro-166 forma plant? 167 A. In part 2 of the response to Staff data request UE TEE 101, which is attached to 168 this testimony as Attachment A (does not include attachments referred to in part 169 1 of the response), the Company indicates that it is not appropriate to reduce the 170 capital expenditures requested as post-test year capital additions for retirements 171 since plant retirements were not specifically addressed in the Commission's 172 Notice.
- 173 Q. Why is the Company's position of not reducing plant additions for associated174 retirements not proper regulatory treatment?
- 175 A. The flaws with the Company's position are:
- 1) It allows the Company to earn a return on investment it no longer has;

2) It provides an overstatement of net plant to the extent that the retirements 178 have been recorded on the books; and, 179 3) It results in overstated depreciation expense. Explain how the Company can earn a return on investment it no longer has. 180 Q. While the Company's pro forma distribution plant as presented on AmerenUE 181 Α. Exhibit No. 35.5, line 25 includes the additions for Projects for July 1, 2002 182 through November 30, 2003, it does not reflect a reduction for the retirements 183 184 related to those projects that are no longer being used to provide utility service to 185 the ratepayers. Under this scenario, the ratepayers would continue to pay a 186 return on plant that the utility is no longer using. Explain how net plant is overstated to the extent that the retirements have been 187 Q. 188 recorded on the books. Gas Plant Instruction 10 sets forth the accounting for the retirement of plant. The 189 Α. book cost of the plant being retired is credited to the appropriate plant account 190 and charged to the Accumulated Provision for Accumulated Depreciation. In 191 192 response to Staff data request UE TEE 101, the Company has indicated that 193 during the period July 1, 2002 through November 30, 2003, it has recorded 194 retirements totaling \$291,123. Since UE has not reduced the capital expenditures on the Projects included in its pro forma distribution plant for these 195 retirements, net plant in rate base is overstated. 196 How does the Company's position result in overstated depreciation expense? 197 Q.

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198 A. Since the Company's depreciation expense is based solely on additions to gross 199 plant in service, the resulting depreciation expense calculated includes a component for plant that has been retired and is no longer used and useful. 200 201 Therefore, the depreciation expense proposed by the Company is overstated. 202 Q. Explain the error admitted in the Company's response to Staff data request UE 203 TEE 104. 204 Α. In response to Staff data request UE TEE 104, the Company itemized the 205 "proper balances for the projects listed on exhibit 35.2" totaling \$1,844,818.11 206 rather than the \$1,900,000 as shown on AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.2. The 207 Company has incorrectly included items charged to expense accounts on its 208 Exhibit 35.2. 209 **Other Comments** 210 Q. Do you have further comments concerning this rehearing? 211 A. Yes. Staff does agree with the theory behind limiting post-test year capital 212 additions where there is a demonstrated trend of declining net plant in service. 213 However, Staff notes that rehearing a case after the Final Order has been 214 approved simply for the purpose of updating post-test year capital additions to 215 those amounts actually spent as of the 12-month period after filing tariffs violates 216 test year concepts. 217 Q. How would the rehearing described above violate test year concepts?

218 A. Pro forma post-test year capital additions are defined as estimated or calculated
219 adjustments to the selected historical test year for all known and measurable
220 changes in the operating results of the test year (83 III. Adm. Code 285.150(e)).
221 A rehearing to update only certain specific items to actual balances results in line
222 item ratemaking. As such, this rehearing, while appropriate to use the correct
223 measurement period for the post-test year capital additions, must not be
224 considered as setting precedent in future rate cases with historical test years.

#### Conclusion

- 226 Q. Does this question end your prepared direct testimony on rehearing?
- 227 A. Yes.

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# AmerenUE's Response To Illinois Commerce Commission Data Request UE Order On Rehearing in Docket No. 03-0009 AmerenUE Gas Rate Case

#### **UE-TEE-101:**

Work Papers for AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.2/GSW-2,/GSW-6, and /GSW-31 indicate that certain retirements are expected to occur with respect to Project Nos. 11975, 11976, and 11977.

 Please provide support for the actual retirements that were recorded by UE related to Projects Nos. 11975, 11976, and 11977 during the period July 1, 2002 through November 30, 2003.

 Indicate if these retirements have been reflected to reduce the plant in service balances reported for Project Nos. 11976, 11976, and 11977 on the above referenced work papers.

3. If no retirements were recorded, please explain why not.

#### Response:

- See the attached for the actual retirements recorded by UE related to Project Nos. 11975 and 11976. No retirements recorded for Project No. 11977 through November 30, 2003.
- 2. No, it is not appropriate to reduce the capital expenditures on these Major Projects for retirements. The Order on Rehearing and discussions during the Status Conference were very clear that only the post-test year capital additions on these major projects along with the increase in the total accumulated depreciation were to be included. Plant retirements were not listed.
- 3. Project No. 11977 includes phases 5 and 6 of the Alton main replacement. The retirements are combined for phases 5 and 6. Phase 6 was completed at the end of December 2003 and the retirements will now be processed for phases 5 and 6.

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Title: Director Regulatory Accounting & Depr.

Phone: (314) 554-3878

Date: January 21, 2004

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Statement of Operating Income with Adjustments For the Test Year Ending June 30, 2002 (In Thousands) AmerenUE

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		9		(16)		'	(16)				(16)
Total Operating Expenses	15,	- 578,	(984)	14,891	1,107	684	16,682	(1,027)	15,655	(11)	15,644
NET OPERATING INCOME	\$	889 889	986	\$ 95	\$ 2,665	·	\$ 2,760	\$ (1,528)	1,232	\$ (13)	\$ 1,219
									\$ 14,949		\$ 14,791
									8.24%	_	8.24%
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Percentage Revenue Change (Cal. (I), Line 28 divided by Cal. (D), Line 5)

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#### Rate Base

For the Test Year Ending June 30, 2002 (In Thousands)

Line No.	Description(A)	R Pro Ra (St. E	ompany ebuttal o Forma te Base ex. 18.0 3.3 UE, p. 2	(App	estments pendix B ch. 4)		Rate Base Per Order (Col. B+C)	(St. E	etments ix. 19.0 . 19.4 E)	on l	ate Base Rehearing Col D+E) (F)
	Carea Blantin Bandan	•	20.000	•	(4.400)	•			(4~~)		
1 2	Gross Plant in Service Accumulated Depreciation	\$	32,088 (15,977)	\$	(1,420) (53)	Þ	30,668 (16,030)	\$	(172) 14	\$	30,496 (16,016)
3	Addantalated Depreciation		(13,577)		(33)		(10,030)		14		(10,010)
4	Net Plant		16,111		(1,473)	_	14,638		(450)		
4	Net Flam		10,111		(1,473)		14,638		(158)		14,480
5	Additions to Rate Base										
6	Materials & Supplies		36				36		_		36
7	Gas Stored Underground & Propane		1,703		(2)		1,701		_		1,701
8	Cash Working Capital		840		(326)		514	-	-		514
9	Deferred Info System Development		-		` _		-				_
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16	Deductions From Rate Base										
17	Customer Advances		(147)		_		(147)		-		(147)
18	Customer Deposits		(46)		_		(46)		_		(46)
19	Pre-1971 investment Tax Credits		(13)		_		(13)		-		(13)
20	Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes		(1,734)		-		(1,734)		-		(1,734)
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23	Rate Base	\$	16,750	<u>\$</u>	(1,801)	<u>\$</u>	14,949	\$	(158)	\$	14,791

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## AmerenUE

### Interest Synchronization Adjustment For the Test Year Ending June 30, 2002 (In Thousands)

Line <u>No.</u>	Description (A)	Amount Per Order (B)	Adjustment on Rehearing (C)	
1	Gross Plant in Service	14,949	\$ 14,791	(1)
2	Weighted Cost of Debt	0	2.610%	(2)
3	Synchronized Interest Per Staff	390	386	
4	Interest Expense per Final Order	371	390	(3)
5	Increase (Decrease) in Interest Expense	19	(4)	
6 7	Increase (Decrease) in State Income Tax Expense at 7.300%	(1)	<u> </u>	
8 9	Increase (Decrease) in Federal Income Tax Expense at 35.000%	(6)	<u>\$</u> 1	

(1) Source: ICC Staff Ex. 19.0, Schedule 19.2 UE, Column (F).

(2) Source: Final Order dated October 22, 2003, page 90 (3) Source: \$14,949 times 2.610%

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# Union Electric Company Adjustment for Post Test Year Capital Additions For the Test Year Ended June 30, 2002 (in thousands)

Line	<u>Description</u>			<u>Ar</u>	mount	Source
<u>No.</u>	(A)				(B)	(C)
1	Net Post Test Year Plant Additions per Staff	\$	1,273			Schedule 19.7 UE , page 2, column (E), line 6
2	Increase in Accumulated Depreciation per Company		551	•		AmerenUE Exhibit 35.0, page 3, line 60
3 4	Excess of Post Test Year Capital Additions over Increase in Accumulated Depreciation Post Test Year Capital Additions per Company's initial filing		2,314	\$	722	Line 1 minus line 2 AmerenUE Schedule B-2
5	Adjustment to Post Test Year Capital Additions in Final Order		(1,420)			Final Order, Appendix B, Schedule 4, Column (B)
6	Post Test Year Capital Additions approved in Final Order				894	Line 4 minus line 5
7	Adjustment to Post Test Year Capital Additions per Staff			\$	(172)	Line 3 minus line 6
6	Depreciation Rate				2.42%	AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.5
7 8	Depreciation Expense on Additions per Staff Depreciation Expense on Additions per Company's initial filir	\$	56	\$	17	Line 3 times line 6 AmerenUE Schedule B-3
9	Adjustment to Depreciation Expense in Final Order		(34)	•		Final Order, Appendix B, Schedule 2, Column (O)
10	Depreciation Expense on Additions approved in Final Order			_	22	Line 8 minus line 9
11	Adjustment to Depreciation Expense per Staff			\$	(5)	Line 7 minus line 10
12 13	Accumulated Depreciation on Additions per Staff Accumulated Depreciation on Additions per Company filing	\$	56	\$	17	Line 3 times line 6 AmerenUE Schedule C-3.16
14	Adjustment to Accumulated Depreciation in Final Order		(53)			Final Order, Appendix B, Schedule 4, Column (B)
15	Adjustment to Accumulated Depreciation on Additions in Fin	al O	rder		3	Line 13 minus line 14
16	Adjustment to Accumulated Depreciation per Staff			\$	14	Line 12 minus line 15

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# Union Electric Company Net Post Test Year Capital Additions For the Test Year Ended June 30, 2002 (in thousands)

Line <u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u> (A)	1	roject <u>1975</u> (B)		Project 11976 (C)		roject <u>1977</u> (D)			<u>Totals</u> (E)
1 2 3	Account 376 Account 380 Property & Plant Transfers	\$	17	(a) (b)	\$ 650 301	(d) (e)	\$ 520 197 (121)	(f) (g) (h)	(B \$	)+(C)+(D) 1,187 498 (121)
4	Subtotal	\$	17		\$ 951		\$ 596	<u> </u>	\$	1,564
5	Retirements			(c)	(291)	(c)	-	(c)		(291)
6	Total Net Post Test Year Plant Additions per Staff	\$	17		\$ 660		\$ 596		\$	1,273

#### Sources:

- (a) Work Papers for AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.2/GSW 4
- (b) Work Papers for AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.2/GSW 5
- (c) Response to Staff data request UE TEE 101
- (d) Work Papers for AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.2/GSW 19
- (e) Work Papers for AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.2/GSW 30
- (f) Work Papers for AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.2/GSW 43
- (g) Work Papers for AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.2/GSW 44
- (h) Sum of Prop & Plt Transf entries, Work Papers for AmerenUE Exhibit No. 35.2/GSW 43 and 44